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M. Banankhah

For: A COMPUTER SYTEM AND A METHOD FOR CONTROLLING A COMPUTER SYSTEM

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identfied application.

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A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated June 17, 2004, please amend the application as set forth below. A Petition and fee for a two-month Extension of Time accompany this reply.